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TAGS: UNESCO, PORG, OCON
SUBJECT: UNESCO: 104 EXBD (ITEM 5.1.1): DRAFT RESOLUTION
(DR-2) ON DG'S ORAL REPORT

REF: PARIS 15366

1. AFTER LENGTHY DEBATE ON US AMENDMENT TO PARA 8
(FORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPROVED US DEL
RECOMMENDATION REFTEL), DR-2 WHICH INCLUDED A REVISED
PARA 8, WAS ADOPTED WITHOUT VOTE.

2. US AMENDMENT WHICH REWORDED ORIGINAL TEXT PARA 8 SO
AS TO ELIMINATE REFERENCE TO "CAMPAIGN OF DEFAMATION" WAS
GENERALLY SUPPORTED BY WESTERN BOARD MEMBERS, BUT FAILED
TO GENERATE ENTHUSIASM, OR WAS OPPOSED BY MAJORITY OF
SPEAKERS. MAJORITY POSITION WAS THAT THE MEDIA'S
COVERAGE OF UNESCO HAS BEEN A QUOTE SYSTEMATIC CAMPAIGN
OF DEFAMATION UNQUOTE, SINCE, THESE SPEAKERS ESTIMATE,
"MALICIOUS AND MISINFORMATION HAS BEEN CONSCIOUSLY AND
SYSTEMATICALLY PRINTED ABOUT UNESCO SINCE 18TH G.C."

3. DURING A PAUSE IN DEBATE, AND IMMEDIATELY AFTERWARD,
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US DEL MANAGED TO OBTAIN REWORDING OF PARA 8 WHICH
FOLLOWS IN PARA 4 BELOW. ONLY A LAST DITCH EFFORT WAS
FINALLY SUCCESSFUL IN HAVING..."SYSTEMATICALLY"
PRODUCING... DELETED, ALTHOUGH "CONSCIOUSLY" REMAINED
DESPITE OUR ATTEMPTS TO EXPURGE IT. ALL OTHER PARAS OF
DR-2 REMAINED UNCHANGED AS TRANSMITTED REFTEL A.

4. NEW PARA 8, DR-2 IS AS FOLLOWS: BEGIN TEXT--
DEPLORING THE FACT THAT SOME MEDIA HAVE BEEN CONSCIOUSLY
PRODUCING BIASED INFORMATION ABOUT UNESCO'S ACTIVITIES,
ESPECIALLY IN THE FIELD OF COMMUNICATION, WHICH REVEALS
A PROFOUND MISCONCEPTION OF THE ORGANIZATION'S ACTION
AND IDEALS. END TEXT.
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